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PATENT

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant: Sudhakar Kale et al. Examiner: Leigh Garbowsky  
Serial No.: 10/621,253 Group Art Unit: 2825  
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Title STRUCTURAL REGULARITY EXTRACTION AND FLOORPLANNING IN  
DATAPATH CIRCUITS USING VECTORS  
Customer Number: 21186

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**PETITION FOR A THREE-MONTH EXTENSION OF TIME**

MS Amendment  
Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
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In accordance with the provision of 37 CFR § 1.136(a), it is respectfully requested that a three-month extension of time be granted in which to respond to the Office Action mailed February 9, 2007, said period of response being extended from May 9, 2007 to August 9, 2007.

**Please charge Deposit Account No. 19-0743 in the amount of \$1020.00 to cover the required extension fee. Please charge any additional fees or credit overpayment to deposit Account No. 19-0743.**

Respectfully Submitted

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